

**Abstract**

Image encoding method for transforming an image into a data  
bit sequence under resolution into a plurality of pixels  
5 individually numbered or provided with pixel coordinates, to  
which corresponds in each case a luminance value and/or  
chrominance value from a plurality of predetermined luminance  
values and/or chrominance values, each of the luminance values  
and/or chrominance values occurring in the image, being  
10 allocated the numbers or pixel coordinates of the pixels  
having said luminance value and/or chrominance value.

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